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Honorable Thérèse Wiley Dancks United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court Northern District of New York Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse Syracuse, NY 13261-7346

> Re: Utica Mutual Ins. Co. v. Fireman's Fund Ins. Co. No. 6:09-CV-0853 (DNH)(GHL)

Dear Judge Dancks:

We represent Defendant Fireman's Fund Insurance Company ("FFIC") in the abovereferenced matter.

Unfortunately, we have an unavoidable conflict with the Status Conference Your Honor ordered for March 7, 2012. [2/29/12 Text Order]. We write to seek a re-scheduling of that Conference. We have conferred with Counsel for the Plaintiff, who has no objection to such postponement.

Both sides would be available on March 19, if that date were convenient to the Court. Otherwise, we respectfully request a rescheduling of the Status Conference to a date after March 19 on which the Court would be available.

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Via ECF

cc: Walter J. Andrews, Esq. Syed S. Ahmad, Esq. John S. Finnegan, Esq.